

## COMMENCEMENT OF COMMON SCHOOLS

Graduates of Jackson, Redding and Washington Townships Receive Diplomas.

TWENTY-TWO IN THE CLASS

Dr. Robert J. Aley Delivered the Principal Address Upon "The Meaning of Education."

The commencement exercises of the common schools of Jackson, Redding and Washington townships were held Monday evening at the Majestic Theatre and were witnessed by a large audience. Twenty-two pupils were successful in completing the school course and was one of the largest classes ever graduated from the district schools.

The members of the graduating class were:

Washington township; Charles McDonald, Vada McVay.

Redding township; Maria Shields, Edna Talley, Minnie Quadde, Geo. M. Foist, Jessie E. Lind, John Montgomery, Arthur R. Enos, Edith Miller, Raymond E. Craig, Cora M. Matheny, Minnie Hazzard, Zetta Brown, Enis Deppert, Lucile Briner, Esther Olinger, Mary Clark and Arthur Spray.

Jackson township; John Shortridge, Willie Uley, Emmett Whitson.

The commencement address was delivered by Robert J. Aley, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, who chose for his subject, "The Meaning of Education." The speaker was introduced by Prof. J. A. Linke, Superintendent of the Public Schools, as one of the leading educators not only of Indiana but of the country.

Dr. Aley emphasized the true meaning of the new idea of education, and showed that it was needed in every line of activity. The fundamental laws of the United States provided for education, and this idea has been carried out in all branches of the government. He compared the growth of this nation to that of Russia, which has no provisions whatever, for educational progress. The speaker said that Russia was composed of people who were uneducated and that if the citizens should become educated, the country could not last long. When that change is made, the entire mode of government must be modified.

During the past twenty-five years, the people of the United States have spent enormous sums for education, and the question arises as to whether that money has been well expended. There can be no doubt but that the question should be answered in the affirmative. There is nothing that is of such great importance as education, and this is realized more today than at any previous time. The schools are provided with better teachers, and more advance equipment than they were several years ago, and as a result the progress has been very rapid along educational lines. Indiana, when compared to states which have failed to give the proper attention to their educational systems, has had a most marvelous growth, which is attributed largely to this fact. In the southern states, where education is neglected, there are individuals who are prominent in law, medicine and business activities, but the citizens, who compose the state, are not qualified for the business of life.

Education as defined today does

not mean what it did a quarter of a century ago, when it was believed that only such persons as intended to enter the so-called learned professions, the ministry, law and medicine, should strive to gain an education. Education in the new light is for every one, no matter in what line of activity he may be engaged. Formerly it was thought that the farmer had no use whatever, for education, and all that he needed was strength. Within the past few years this idea has changed, for it is shown that larger crops of better quality can be raised by scientific farming. This has been brought about by educating the agriculturalist, who realizes the opportunities afforded by the soil, when it is properly tended.

Dr. Aley strongly criticised the so-called finishing school. He said that it was a relic of barbarism and bygone ages. In the new light of education, there is no finishing. Education is a life process, and the best results can be obtained by those who study their surroundings and are enabled to adjust themselves according to their environment. The graduate who receives the high school or college diploma, after completing the courses as arranged, has, by no means finished his education, but is only better equipped to adjust himself with his surroundings when he enters into the business or professional world. In this age there has grown up a complexity of life, and men of today are required to make more adjustments than the pioneer who lived in a time when many of the inventions which are now used, were not known.

Another modern idea of education is to prepare the student to do more work. It is an erroneous idea that a well educated man can get along with out hard labor. The course of instruction as it is now given is merely to prepare the student to better perform the many tasks that confront him in life.

The diplomas were presented to the members of the class by County Superintendent J. E. Payne, with appropriate remarks. He congratulated the class upon having successfully completed their course in the common school branches, which was merely a foundation for a higher education. He said that he hoped that all the graduates would enter some high school in the state so that they would receive as complete an education as possible and thus be better equipped to enter upon the duties of life.

The invocation and benediction were pronounced by Rev. L. A. Winn, pastor of the Central Christian church. The music for the evening was furnished by the Seymour orchestra and was highly complimentary.

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### Dr. G. W. Farber Here.

Dr. G. W. Farber, of Montezuma, who recently purchased the office of Dr. F. W. DraGoo, optician, has taken possession of the business and will give his entire time to his patrons here. He has moved his family to Seymour, and lives on East Fourth street. Dr. DraGoo will remain at the office until June 6, and assist Dr. Farber in getting acquainted with the patrons of the office.

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## NEW COMPANY TO BEGIN WORK SOON

Franchise for Electric Light Company Will be Passed by City Council Thursday Evening.

WILL COST ABOUT \$65,000

Final Contract Will be Signed Next Week and Bond Delivered for Faithful Performance.

At the next regular meeting of the city council, which will be held Thursday evening, the franchise to the new electric light company will be placed upon its third reading and will probably be accepted without change. As soon as this franchise is adopted by the council the new company will begin work on the new plant and system which is to be installed in this city.

C. E. Layton, manager of the company, was in the city this morning and stated that plans had already been made and the construction work on the new system will begin within the next few weeks. The final contract will probably be signed next Tuesday and Wednesday and the bond for \$10,000 delivered. After that time Mr. Layton will remain in this city practically all of the time, in order that he might better supervise the work on the plant.

The company will be incorporated in a short time, and will probably be known as the "Seymour Public Service Company." The purposes of the company will be to serve electricity to the citizens of Seymour for the purpose of light, heat and power.

The site for the new building has not yet been selected, but will probably be purchased within the next three or four weeks. The matter of location will be taken up by Mr. Layton after the bond is filed next week. The machinery for the plant has practically been selected, but it will require about four months to complete the entire equipment after the order has been placed. The work of setting the poles and stringing the wires over the city will probably begin the first of June, and as much of the construction work as possible will be completed so that the plant can be put in operation and the customers served with light within eight months after the contract is accepted, the time designated in the franchise.

Mr. Layton stated that it would be necessary to place about one thousand poles, an unusually large number for a lighting system in a city of this size. This number is required because of the large number of lights which will be installed, each light necessitating two poles. In the business districts one large arc lamp will be placed at each intersection, but in the resident parts of the city, where the tungsten lamp will be used, there will be from two to four lamps in each block, depending upon the size of the square.

The system which will be installed here is modern in every respect, and, although it has not been used very extensively in the West, many Eastern cities have installed it with much success. Mr. Layton, who has had much experience with lighting systems, is confident that it will give the best of satisfaction. The plant and equipment, when completed, will cost approximately \$65,000.

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### DIED.

SHEEDY — Louis Sheedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Sheedy, died about three o'clock Saturday afternoon, May 21, at their home near Hayden, after an illness of several months, with lung trouble. Age, seventeen years, three months and fifteen days. He was born February 6, 1893. He has been in failing health since last October. The funeral services were conducted at the Catholic church at Four Corners Monday morning at ten o'clock, by the regular pastor of the church. Burial at the cemetery near by.

### FOOT MASHED WHILE GATHERING COAL

Mrs. Thomas Farrell Meets With Serious Accident in B. & O. S-W. Yards.

Mrs. Thomas Farrell, of East High street, had her right foot badly mashed, about noon today, while she was gathering a bucket of coal in the B. & O. S-W. railroad yards. Mrs. Farrell placed her foot on the track and did not notice the cut of cars that was approaching her until it was too late to avoid the accident. Her foot was mashed and somewhat mangled, but amputation was not necessary. Dr. G. G. Graessle and Dr. W. F. Gerish dressed the wound.

Mr. Farrell, the husband of the injured woman, has employment with the American Chair Company, at Muncie, and for several weeks has lived in that city. Mrs. Farrell was making arrangements to move to Muncie in a short time, and has their household goods ready for shipment.

### Mr. Donahue Gets Diamond Ring.

Conductor F. S. Gilbert and Conductor J. B. Purkiser, of the B. & O. S-W., went to Washington today to present a diamond ring to Joseph Donahue as a present from the railway trainmen of the Indiana division. Mr. Donahue, who was recently promoted from trainmaster on the Indiana division to superintendent of the Illinois division, was very popular among the railway men and enjoyed the greatest respect of every one.

Mr. Donahue moved from here to Washington not many weeks ago, and he certainly has the best wishes of railway men generally for his success and other promotions in due time.

### Base Ball.

The Boston Bloomers arrived here in their special car from Crothersville this morning to play a game with a Seymour team on the West Second street diamond. They carry their own canvass to stretch about the ball park, so that no one is permitted to see the game from a respectable distance who has not paid for the privilege. The weather is not at all favorable for much of a crowd to get out to witness the game.

### Crothersville Wins.

The game of base ball between the Boston Bloomers and the Crothersville base ball team, which was played at the Crothersville diamond, Monday afternoon, resulted in a victory for Crothersville by a score of 13 to 0.

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FARMERS SEE OPPORTUNITIES

C. G. Woodbury, of Purdue Experimental Station, Pleased With Results at Stanfield Orchard.

Fruit growing is one of the most neglected opportunities in Southern Indiana according to C. G. Woodbury, of the experimental station of Purdue University, who was here Monday looking after the orchard on the T. J. Stanfield farm east of this city which is being conducted under the management of that station. Mr. Woodbury declared that fruit growing was a very profitable business and that the farmers in this section of the state were realizing to a greater extent than ever before that they lived in a part of the country where conditions were very favorable for large and productive orchards.

Southern Indiana is especially adapted for the growing of apples, said Mr. Woodbury, and that the crop this year would be one of the largest for several years. He said that many of the fruit growers were giving their orchards closer attention this year than ever before and that fact accounted largely for the big crop. When asked if the large supply would make a lower price he said that he did not think it would as there was a heavy demand for good fruit and that a ready market could be found.

In regard to the local conditions, Mr. Woodbury stated that Seymour should be a fruit market center, as conditions were very favorable for large orchards near the city, and the market conditions were excellent. He added that the farmers here were afforded excellent facilities for storing their apples in cold storage, a convenience which means much to large shippers, as they can fill orders as rapidly as they are received.

Mr. Woodbury is well satisfied with the progress that is being made with the orchard near this city, and believes that it will serve as an excellent illustration to show what can be done by careful attention. He said there had been a tendency for several years upon the part of the majority of farmers in this part of the state to neglect their orchards, and as a result the fruit crops had been small. The trees at the Stanfield orchard under the direction of J. M. Masters, who lives on the place, and the Purdue men, have been given every attention this year, and the prospects are most encouraging. They have been sprayed several times and every precaution has been taken to prevent San Jose scale, which has done much injury to the trees in Indiana. The trees were sprayed a week ago, but most of the spraying solution was washed off by the heavy rains the past few days, and it was thought advisable to spray them again. The orchard here is being cultivated according to what is known as the clean-culture cover-crop system. With this method the ground is sown with cow peas, which are plowed under during the middle of the summer.

The farmers and fruit growers of the country are watching carefully each step in the process of caring for

the trees. In order to show that the attention given is profitable to the fruit grower, several rows of trees were not given any care or attention whatever, and the results obtained from these will be compared with those of the main orchard.

### PROGRAM

Meeting of W. C. T. U. Will be Held Wednesday Afternoon.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Brown, 403 Indianapolis avenue. A cordial invitation is given to all ladies interested in the temperance work. The following program will be given:

Bible Teachings on Sabbath..... Mrs. Short Business..... Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Hoffmann Vocal Duet..... Mrs. Lucas Brief History of the Mormon Church..... Mrs. Pfaffenberger Our Naturalization Laws..... Mrs. Sawyer Leaflet—From Within One Heart..... Mrs. McKinney Music..... Miss Gertrude Wylie

### Twenty-first Birthday.

Joseph C. Gruber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Gruber, of near Reddington, was given a very pleasant surprise Saturday evening in honor of his twenty-first birthday. When he returned from the services at the Christian church at Reddington he found a large number of his friends collected at his home. Among those present were William Telford, of Crothersville; Joy Hopewell, Ruth Cole, Mrs. Mary Fisher, James Fisher, Mrs. Tip Harris and son and daughter, Irvin and Nola and Mrs. Harley Jackson and son, James, and Miss Amanda Baird, of this city, and a number from Bartholomew county and from Scipio and other places. About twenty-five people were present and spent a delightful social evening. A lunch was served during the evening and some of the young people of the community favored the company with some excellent music. Mr. Gruber and his family have a delightful country home, which they erected a year ago, about a half-mile north of the station at West Reddington.

### Attended Dreamland.

Upon the invitation of the manager, Charles H. Williams, the members of the graduating class attended a special show at Dreamland Monday evening, after the close of the commencement exercises at the Majestic. The pictures were greatly enjoyed by the class.

### Elite Cream Parlors.

Corner Third and Chestnut streets, will open Thursday, May 26, at 5 p.m., with a full line of ices, ice cream and fancy candies. A beautiful carnation will be presented to each patron on opening day.

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## THEIR MEED OF PRAISE.

## A Few Reasons Why the Women Approved of Husbands.

The Ladies' Aid Society was chanting of husbands as a class, with individual illustrations. The afternoon was bright, the work progressing well, and the general tone of the company cheerful. The key-note of the chant was at first tolerance, later raised to mild approval.

"They are useful in so many ways," chirped a small woman, from her corner. "When you have a bundle to be done up, or a picture to be hung, or anything squeaks for want of oiling."

"Or when the grocery boy tries to be smart, or the plumber tells you there's a new pipe needed, and you know there isn't," came from the opposite corner. "It just takes a word from John to reduce them to order, just a word!"

"Clerks respect the mere title," chimed in another member. "That is so well known that I have a friend—this is absolutely true—who orders her dry goods sent to her brother-in-law's office and goes there to get them, rather than give her name, Miss So-and-so. She says that she gets the things quicker, even counting the time it takes her brother-in-law to bring them home—he lives just across the street from her—as he sometimes does."

"I think that is probably true," boomed a deep voice. "It is humiliating, of course, but I must admit that when I say 'Mrs. So-and-so' to a new clerk he straightens up at once and says, 'Yes, madam,' every time I ask for a favor."

"Then there's the effect on the children," breathed a gentle young creature. "When I say to Robby, 'Do you want mother to tell father this?' he seems to be impressed at once, though his father never whips—we don't believe in it. But he has a way of talking—most men have it, I think."

"And for carrying bundles and taking you round after dark they are so comfortable!" contributed a vine-like creature, needle uplifted. "It isn't that I'm really afraid to be out alone if it's necessary, but when I have James I'm never thinking about whether a tree is a tree or a drunken man, or things like that, and I walk naturally, not by jerks and halts, and breaking into a gallop, as I do when I'm alone."

"And there's one thing that's best of all," chanted a joyful person; "that's the way you can quell others with your husband's opinions. It's so lovely to be able to say, 'William doesn't wish me to undertake any more work!'"

"Oh, yes," from another member, "and to say, 'I can't buy any of your tickets, for Frederick doesn't like amateur theatricals, and will not go.'"

"And for those who have trying relatives," came from a rosy-cheeked woman, "a husband is such a refuge in times of danger! All I have to say is, 'I should be perfectly willing to ask Aunt Maria to spend part of her visit with me, but Lawrence! Well, you know what Lawrence is!'—and I don't have to say another word."

And at this there was a swelling note of assent from every member of the chorus, while six pairs of shears clicked with a brisk accompaniment.—Youth's Companion.

## JUDGE A "PERNICKETY" MAN.

Such Was Baltimore Justice Who Objected to the Word "Cop."

Justice James T. O'Neill of the eastern district, whose fine discrimination in matters of law is equalled only by the nicety of his taste for the "well of English undefiled," merits warm praise, says the Baltimore News, for the zeal with which he expressed the view that "a police officer is not a 'cop' but a policeman" cannot be allowed to go unchallenged.

In the first place, it is well to remember that, by general acceptance, usage is the law of languages, and the colloquialism of to-day receives the imprimatur of the Lindley Murray of to-morrow. Emerson ventured the opinion that "language is fossil poetry," but it is equally true that it is fossil slang.

It may be worth while to draw the attention of Justice O'Neill to the fact that so respectable an authority as the Century dictionary has the following entry: "Copper (koper) n. A policeman. See cop. (Slang)." Significantly enough, it is sandwiched in between "clinch" and "coon song," by which it becomes evident that our Americanisms are rapidly acquiring the currency of authentic coinage. An older generation will recall a once popular song, the burden of which was "the dandy copper of the Broadway squad." (His name, strange as it may seem, was Moriarty.)

Sir Robert Peel undertook a difficult task when he began to establish the metropolitan police system of London, but posterity rewarded him by a double perpetuation of his name. The members of the force he created became known optionally as "Bobbies" or "Peelers." Would Bow street rise to vindicate them from a touch of flippancy? Would "Bobby" himself be the same by any other name?

"Will" Corbett, who wrote the only "readable" grammar of the English language, said of a certain phrase that it was a common parliament term, "and hence presumably corrupt." On state occasions, when "the finest" are on parade, they are properly enough

policemen, members of the police force or guardians of the law. But on their daily beats, mixing in the welter of humanity, they are a part of the mix-up, and the sternest stickler for propriety must concede that they are designated most aptly, most closely in keeping with the atmosphere, as "cops."

Let Justice O'Neill leave to Justice Shallow this strained solicitude for the dignity of his court and its officers. The "cop," as a man, as an officer and as a noun, receives the warm commendation of the American people.

## A WIFE WORTH HAVING.

She Turned Out Well, So Hubby Increased the Marriage Fee.

A certain American husband, rich in more ways than one, recently celebrated the fortieth anniversary of his wedding by sending a thousand dollars to the old minister who performed his marriage ceremony. That was a fine tribute to the success of the marriage, but not so valuable as testimony as a "fee" of which the history is cherished by the descendants of one New England minister.

A young farmer brought a pretty girl to the village parsonage one evening in the first quarter of the nineteenth century, and the minister, himself scarcely more than a youth, made them man and wife. The farmer paid him a dollar, with the joking remark: "Maybe I'll better that if she turns out well!"

The next autumn the farmer appeared with some bags of potatoes for the minister's family.

"My wife's doing pretty well, so I thought I'd set up that wedding fee a little," he said, as he set the potatoes on the doorstep.

That was the first of many autumn visits. The minister stayed on fifty years in that parsonage. He had seven children. Like all the village clergymen of his generation, he kept open house for guests and for tramps. His salary was never large, and the larder was often poor in meat; but the potato bin was never empty—and the minister's wife learned how to fall back on that "free gift" whenever there was a domestic emergency.

Her grandchildren still remember the delectable potato stew and potato soup and the mealy, snowy potatoes bursting out of their jackets which used to issue from her kitchen. She would deny any special skill in the cookery, and declare that she simply had better potatoes than anyone else in town.

The price of those potatoes at compound interest for that half century would doubtless have put to blush the millionaire's check for a thousand dollars. But the best of this wedding fee was the fact that each fall, when the husband decided to take the load of potatoes to the parsonage, he ratified his early judgment that his wife "turned out pretty well!"

## Where Every Drop Counts.

In the Yakima valley, Washington, where the big apples are grown, and bearing orchards sell at one thousand dollars an acre, rain is scarce. Irrigation is practiced everywhere. But now and then during the growing season a light rain will fall for a few minutes. These rains are highly prized, for irrigating water is measured closely, and served to each user in proportion to his acreage.

Last summer a fruit grower who owns forty acres of orchard was rejoicing in one of these precipitations of moisture, when one of his hired men entered the house.

"Why don't you stay in out of the rain?" inquired the fruit-grower.

"Oh, that's all right," replied the man. "A little dew like that doesn't bother me a bit; I can work right along just the same."

"That isn't the point!" exclaimed the rancher. "Next time it rains, you come into the house. I want that water on the land!"

## Not What She Meant.

The actor in a "miracle play" recently produced in New York had been coached to preserve the old English pronunciation of the final e in words like "hedde" and "roote," says a writer in the Sun.

There was a moment of embarrassment, however, when a group of young women appeared on the stage in the guise of shepherds, wearing kirtles.

They were discussing the climate in the part of the country in which they were supposed to be. Said one of them, most naively, "These nights are too long."

## Authoritative.

"Yes, she's the author of 'Familiar Talks with Young Mothers.'"

"What's her name?"

"Emma Jane Dibby."

"Married, of course?"

"Oh, no! Entirely unprejudiced."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## Fortunate.

"The American eagle," said the orator, "knows no fear."

"Yes," replied Mr. Sirius Barker, "the American eagle is mighty lucky."

Any bird that isn't good enough to eat has a right to congratulate itself these days.—Washington Star.

## Even in Her Sleep.

Howell—Is your wife a great talker?

Powell—I have known her to get up and telephone in her sleep.

## Small Eyes.

In China small eyes are liked, and the girls are continually plucking their eyebrows to get them small and long.

With some people the season for killing time is always open.

Second sight is the only cure for a case of love at first sight.

## Topic of the Times

Rats are eaten by the natives of northern Australia.

Printed musical notes were first made use of in 1473.

A web two and a quarter miles long has been taken from the body of a spider.

The administration of police and justice for a year costs London \$10,000,000.

Not more than 6 per cent of the natives of British India can read and write their own language.

In Sweden nearly 120,000,000 crowns' worth of alcoholic drinks are consumed annually, whereby the national treasury profits to the extent of 45,000,000 crowns.

Since coffee labels have been required to tell the truth, there is only one pound of Mocha coffee sold in New York where there were half a hundred pounds sold before.

In European Russia, with a population of eighty millions, there were, in 1907, 93,448 deaths from scarlatina, 75,161 from measles, 61,404 from typhus, typhoid and relapsing fever.

The importation of English styles, which is increasing constantly in this country, has not stopped at mere clothes and manners. The use of the monocle is becoming common in New York.

Three hundred years ago the first home of wood was erected on Manhattan island. It was near where the west end of Pearl street is and was made of rough logs, quite different from the last one of steel and stone now being built not far from the same site.

Dr. Gourand, an eminent French dietitian, says a rational diet is one that, "while pleasant to the taste, maintains the bodily equilibrium, favors the easy working of all our organs, and reduces to a minimum the work which its presence necessarily imposes on them."

Charles Frohman tells a London reporter the performance of "The Climax" on the Mauretania was impossible because Marie Doro, his leading woman, became so ill that "she threw up her part." Unquestionably this is the worst case of seasickness on record.—New York Press.

Lord Kitchener in his late report reaffirms his high opinion of the military capacity of Australians, but insists that longer compulsory training for the men and more education of the officers are necessary. He advises the establishment of a college on the lines of the United States Military Academy at West Point. It would at first be staffed with English officers, and later with Australians.

Wild honey as a change is an agreeable sweetmeat, but after a few days constantly partaking of it the European palate rejects it as nauseous and almost disgusting. Our experience extended over a fortnight, during which period our food consisted solely of it and maize. It has escaped the Biblical commentators that one of the principal hardships that John the Baptist must have undergone was his diet of wild honey.—National Geographic Magazine.

A physician, in speaking of his patients the other day said a great many men would be surprised if they should happen to meet their wives while the latter were on their way to some doctor's office. "Many women have a firm belief in the policy of wearing their shabbiest garb on such occasions," said he. "Their idea is that physicians judge the state of their patients' finances by the clothes they wear, and charge accordingly—and there is a good deal of truth in it, too."—New York Sun.

France has very recently solved the machine gun question and has proceeded very energetically, so that at present all infantry regiments have four (in time of war six), the chasseur battalions two (in time of war four) machine guns, and the reserve regiments are fitted out in the same way. The machine guns of dismounted troops are carried on pack animals. Every cavalry regiment, including the reserve, is to have two machine guns on wheeled carriages, and every field artillery regiment is to receive two guns as support.

Riding uptown in a semi-crowded Broadway car the other night, a well dressed woman was having a great deal of difficulty trying to pacify a crying child who was sitting on her lap. She was evidently the child's mother. After she had exhausted all the ordinary means she tried an entirely new one. Whenever a male passenger boarded the car and made his way up the aisle the woman would jounce the kid on her knee and whisper to the child, "Sh! here comes your father." It may not have been exactly the proper thing, but it served to pacify the child.—New York Sun.

## ADVENTURES IN THE JUNGLE.

Returned American Tells of Civil Engineering Perils in Brazil.

"No need going all the way to British East Africa in search of perilous adventures," said Willard P. Miller, a civil engineer, who arrived yesterday at the Holland House from Tampa, Fla., the New York Sun says. "If a man wants plenty of excitement all he's got to do is to join a surveying party on the new road that is being built through the jungles of central Brazil up into Bolivia. I have been down there a year and, just to get a change, I am going over to China to

work on the Yan-nan-tu railroad, which is being built by Americans.

"I hadn't been down in Brazil three months when I began to want to see Broadway the worst way. If I had stayed down there longer than I did the jungle would have driven me crazy. During the year I was down with malaria twenty times. And when a bunch of six of us reached Para, near the mouth of the Amazon, and found there was no passenger ship due to come this way for two weeks, who were so afraid that we would have another attack that we climbed on board a British tramp steamer, the England, and came to Tampa. It was anything to get away."

"Of the Madeira and Mamore railroad eighty miles have been finished and are in operation. All the survey has been completed up into Bolivia, and I was with one of the engineering corps that were doing the work. There were nine Americans in our party and thirty-five or forty natives, 'hombres' we call them to distinguish them from the Americans, that being the Spanish word for men. The latter, of course, speak Portuguese, but in South American countries American engineers are used to dealing with Spanish-speaking workmen and use that term."

"In going up the Rio Madeira it took us twenty-eight days to go 100 miles on account of the rapids and falls, which are numerous. Hundreds of boats come down loaded with rubber, and it is the object of the railroad to cut out the falls and make the product of the Bolivian forests easy to take to the coast."

"When we got to the place where our survey was to start we found we had our hands full. It involved hewing our path as we went along and every few days we would have to clear a space large enough to build a palmtree."

"Every night without exception we would be awakened by jaguars breaking into the camp. The 'hombres' slept in hammocks, which were hung about three feet from the ground, and there would be yells of alarm as some man awakened to find a big wild animal smelling about him. Lots of them were killed by the men, who said that the animals if hungry would not hesitate to attack human beings."

"One day we found the bones of a native in the woods, but we did not know whether to blame his death on the jaguars or on the vultures, which hung about in the air near us, always in great numbers. And as for insects—why, there seemed to be no fewer than 3,000,000 species of ants, and the tarantulas were eight inches long, not considering their legs. We used to burn a path around the camp to keep the legions of ants from invading it and carrying away our rice and other provisions."

## CONQUERED DEATH VALLEY.

A Man Lost in the Desert Tramped Eighty Miles to Safety.

Death Valley is the most barren part of the great American desert. More men have died in its arid wastes than on any other equal area of the world's surface, barring the great battle fields. It lies, a great sink in the sandy plain, about 250 miles north and east of Los Angeles, Cal., and within the boundaries of that State. The valley received its sinister name owing to the fact that in the early '50's a party of emigrants, some 220 in number, traveling overland by wagon from Salt Lake City, Utah, to Los Angeles, perished in its awful solitudes, barely a man escaping.

In the Wide World Magazine is given the story of a man who, alone and unaided, conquered Death Valley in the hottest month of the desert year. The tale of awful suffering endured by this man, H. W. Manton, of Rhyolite, Cal., is told for the first time in his own words.

For almost a week Manton was lost in the heart of Death Valley. In three days he tramped eighty miles over sands so hot that he could scarcely walk on them, though shod with heavy shoes. During those never-ending days he had no food and but one drink of water.

When he staggered up to Cub Lee's Furnace Creek ranch, more dead than alive, his tongue was swollen to such a size that his mouth could no longer contain it. His lips and eyelids were cracked open; his clothing was in tatters, and his shoes were coated with a heavy encrustation of borax and other alkalies, which had eaten great holes in the leather.

At first he could not drink, and the touch of water was as fire to his parched lips and tongue. Kind-hearted ranchmen and miners forced the precious fluid into his mouth with a straw, with a spoon—any way to get him revived. And eventually he spoke, telling the strange story of his crossing the dread pit; of how he had wandered therein for many days with no companions save the lizards and the snake of the barren sands.

## More "Hand-Me-Downs."

Many a lad can sympathize with the point of view of the Kansas boy who had always been obliged to wear his father's cast-off clothing, cut down and made over. According to a writer in the Wichita Star, he was found crying behind the barn, and when asked what the matter was, replied:

"Pa's gone and shaved his face clean, and now I suppose I'll have to wear all them red whiskers."

## Dreaming.

New Page (to the housemaid of a poet)—Do tell me why he is always standing before the mirror? Housemaid—Sh! He is thinkin' how he'll look when they raise a statue to 'im.

Unless a girl is able to generate an occasional case of jealousy, life for her soon becomes monotonous.

## Young Folks

## Pussy Willow.

"Soft little Pussy upon a brown stalk,  
Why don't you ever start for a walk?  
Curled up and snoozing, so lazy you lie,  
Rocked by the breeze to its sweet lullaby."  
Soft little pussy upon a brown stalk,  
Tell me, why don't you go out for a walk?"

"Maybe you think that you know, little girl,  
Just what is best for a pussy like me,  
You, dancing gaily with frolicsome whirl,  
Wouldn't quite like to be still on a tree.  
Maybe you don't know that I have been told  
Just to stay here till my fur soft and white,  
Grows long and longer and yellow as gold."

To the brown stalk I must cling very tight—  
Till I have grown to a big yellow cat,  
I do not know what I'll do after that.  
You may go waking and running, I know,  
But I was told just to stay here and grow."

## The New Babes in the Woods.

Aunt Effie came into the nursery, and found May sitting before the fire with her fairy-book open on her lap, looking very serious indeed.

"Aunt Effie," she said, "don't you think it's very sad about the Babes in the Woods? I've been reading about them in my book, and I wish I could have gone into the forest and found them and brought them home."

Aunt Effie did not laugh, for she remembered that she had felt just the same way when she was seven. Instead she said:

"Come into the garden with me, May, and I will show you some babes in the woods that I found this morning that really lived all winter long."

"Why, what do you mean, aunty?" asked May, in surprise, and opening her eyes wide. "I thought you said that fairy-tales couldn't happen now."

But Aunt Effie only smiled, and hand in hand they walked across the grass until they came to the old pine-tree bank. Then Aunt Effie stooped down and pushed aside a thick bed of leaves and pine-needles, and there was a little cluster of pansies, purple and yellow, only waiting for the spring to come.

"Last summer, May," said her aunt, "some little pansy seeds blew away from my bed under the sitting-room window, and sowed themselves here and began to grow very happily, for

they had not any idea how cold and long the winter would be. But some one found them late last fall and covered them up carefully with leaves and pine-needles, and told them to sleep until April came again."

"O aunty, that was just like the robins!" cried the little girl. "I wonder who did it?"

"I think that I played robin," answered Aunt Effie. "I knew that unless the poor little runaways were covered up closely that Jack Frost would nip them. I wanted them to grow and spread and make a pretty patch here under the old pines. So every fall, if you like, you and I will come down here and play that we are the robins, and every spring we will look to see how our babes in the woods lived through the winter."

"Oh, yes, aunty!" said May. "Then perhaps I wouldn't feel so about the fairy-tale."—Youth's Companion.

## The Greedy Hoppy Toad.



A hoppy toad grew very ill. With head bound in a towel, His doting mother carried him To see Old Doctor Owl, Who said, while feeling of his pulse And looking very wise: "Acute gastritis, Madam Toad, From eating fireflies."

## Baby Pictures at a Party.

A good way to make a party cheerful and informal is to introduce a baby contest. Each guest must bring the very first picture ever taken of himself or herself, and the hostess must arrange these around the room. Then each guest is to guess who the various babies are—not an altogether easy task—and the one who makes the best list wins.

## A Young Scientist.

Little Margaret, 3 years old, was examining her chubby arm. She laid one finger on it solemnly. "What is my arm made of?" she asked. "Oh, skin, and blood, and bones," said her 7-year-old sister. "Fish bones?" asked Margaret.

they are taking a course of lectures in farming and agriculture that is now being given by the Bedford branch of the Y. M. C. A.

During the last few years hundreds of New Yorkers, who have never been nearer to a farm than the highway or railroad that cuts through it, have moved to the suburbs of Long Island. Many of them have gardens surrounding their detached houses, but their knowledge of garden truck raising has been so limited that they have not been very successful at it. Some of them have planted watermelons where only tomatoes and potatoes could grow, and others have devoted a big patch to onions and a very small one to cabbage.

With the knowledge they are acquiring now from the expert lecturer they expect to raise enough vegetables to supply their own needs and have some to spare.

Aside from the lectures, the classes, personally conducted, are taken every Saturday to near-by farms and given practical lessons. The pupils watch the farmer at work and many of them lend a hand.

Sessions are held every Wednesday evening. The plan of the Y. M. C. A. is not only to help suburbanites who want to raise their own vegetables, but those who have a longing to get back to the farm.

"There is an earnest desire," said one of the officials, "on the part of many young men to get away from the crowded cities and take up the free and independent life of the farmer. They are handicapped by their lack of knowledge and many are taking advantage of our lectures to acquire it. We teach not only vegetable farming, but dairy farming as well."

## A Standing Joke.

Trains were always slow and far between on the branch road. Nobody knew this better than the people at the junction—except perhaps those on the branch itself. It was an old story to them, and the jokes about the situation were many and good. One day the news dealer at the junction station came home to lunch, grinning broadly to himself.

"What's the joke?" asked his wife. "You look pretty well pleased with yourself."

"Oh, nothing particular," he replied, "excepting an odd fellow from the end of the line said a funny thing."

"He'd missed his train, and there wasn't another for two hours. He came to the counter to buy some reading matter. I asked for a joke book, and I said I didn't keep them. Then he pawed over the stock, and finally said, 'Well, I guess I'll take a timetable instead.'"

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## LORIMER WILL MAKE DEFENSE

Illinois Senator Preparing to Address Senate.

## WILL ASK AN INVESTIGATION

It is said that Senator, upon whose title to seat a cloud has descended, has come to conclusion that he owes it to himself and to his state to answer the charges and invite an official investigation.

Washington, May 24.—Senator William Lorimer, who arrived in Washington Sunday, is expected to make a speech in the senate tomorrow in which he will probably review political conditions in Illinois, explain the motives of some of the people who are attacking him, and conclude by expressing a desire that the senate make the fullest possible investigation into the charges of bribery in connection with his election to the senate. This program may be varied some, but his closest friends understand that he has about concluded that he owes it to himself and his state and to his colleagues in the senate to answer the charges and invite an investigation. Senator Lorimer has not appeared at the capitol since his arrival in Washington. He has kept close to his room in the hotel and it is said he is at work preparing a speech or statement in reply to charges against him. The senator has asked newspaper reporters to excuse him from making any statement at this time.

Close friends say that at the time the charges were launched he was much occupied with the work attending the opening of two banking institutions in Chicago of which he is the president. He was in no position, it is added, to turn aside from his financial undertakings until these were fairly under way. That having been accomplished, the senator collected all the available material relating to the charges and started to Washington to confer with his political friends and determine the best course to pursue in answering the charges.

## TORE RINGS FROM EARS

Lawrenceburg Man Held For Brutal Assault Upon Woman.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., May 24.—John W. Clark, aged thirty-three, a mute, of Aurora, was arrested on the charge of brutally assaulting Miss Eva Griffith, aged thirty-nine. In default of a \$3,000 bond he was locked up. Miss Griffith was found in an unconscious condition lying in the Big Four railroad yards here. She had been struck on the head a number of times with a club and then robbed. Her ears were torn when her gold earrings were jerked out, and two rings were taken from her fingers.

## Doctor Perishes in Desert.

Bakersfield, Cal., May 24.—Dr. William A. Mofk, a graduate of the University of Michigan, wandered out into Sand Canyon, in the desert, on May 11, and has just been found dead there. Mofk was in charge of a hospital northeast of Mojave, on the Los Angeles aqueduct.

## Holst by His Own Petard.

Madrid, May 24.—A bomb was exploded last night near the monument commemorating the victims of May 31, 1906. The manipulator of the infernal machine was killed. It is stated that he is known to have been an anarchist.

## THE NATIONAL GAME

Here Are the Current Scores in the Three Big Leagues.

The National League.	
At Pittsburgh—	R.H.E.
New York... 111000220—7102	
Pittsburgh... 01000000—180	
Wiltse, Mathewson and Meyers; Philippi, Camnitz, Webb and Gibson.	
At St. Louis—	R.H.E.
Brooklyn... 00000000—060	
St. Louis... 00000005—590	
Barger and Erwin; Lush and Phelps.	
At Cincinnati—	R.H.E.
Boston... 100101002—5113	
Cincinnati... 103000101—6143	
Frock and Smith; Casper and McLean.	
At Chicago—Rain.	

## The American League.

At Washington—	R.H.E.
St. Louis... 01000001—273	
Washington... 00320011—790	
Graham and Stephens; Johnson and Street.	
At Philadelphia—	R.H.E.
Detroit... 210000010—462	
Philadelphia... 000010002—383	
Donovan and Stange; Bender and Lapp.	

## At Boston—

Chicago... 0110100000000—483	R.H.E.
Boston... 1000010010000—391	
Walsh, Payne and Block; Hall and Donohue.	
At New York—Rain.	

## The American Association.

At Indianapolis, 7; Louisville, 0.	
At Minneapolis, 3; Kansas City, 4.	
Second game—Minneapolis, 8; Kansas City, 0.	
At St. Paul, 6; Milwaukee, 2.	
At Toledo, 6; Columbus, 6. Called end of 9th, darkness.	

## PARDON REWARD FOR TESTIMONY

President Releases Oliver Spitzer From Prison.

## PROMISED TO TELL HIS STORY

When the Man They Thought Was Safely Confined in Federal Prison Was Called as Government Witness in Sugar Trust Trial, the Defense Was as Surprised as if the Ceiling of the Courtroom Had Fallen.

New York, May 24.—Oliver Spitzer, who was convicted last February and sent to Atlanta penitentiary for the sugar weighing frauds done under his personal supervision on the docks of the Williamsburg refinery of the sugar trust, appeared as a witness for the government at the trial of Charles R. Heike, the secretary of the company, and five other employees.

Just before Spitzer took the witness stand to tell all he knew of the sugar frauds, there was thrust into his hands a pardon from the president of the United States. It was signed by President Taft on May 19, the day following a confession Spitzer made to Special Prosecutor Stimson. The pardon was kept until the very moment that Spitzer was called, however.

On the stand Spitzer described in detail the weighing frauds and gave evidence connecting Gerbracht, the general superintendent, and Bendernagel, the cashier, who are among the present defendants. He did not compare Heike, with whom, he said, he had only a slight acquaintance, Heike being in the Wall street office all the time. It did not appear as if the government was desirous of drawing Spitzer out much, and after he finished testifying he was hustled up to the grand jury room, where he remained two hours. Then he was allowed to go to his home in Flatbush.

Had the ceiling of the United States circuit court room suddenly fallen upon them the five lawyers representing the defendants could hardly have been more greatly surprised than they were when Prosecutor Stimson suddenly called out the name of Oliver Spitzer and they saw walk into the court room, behind the towering form of Chief Flynn of the secret service, the man all supposed to be in the federal prison at Atlanta taking his medicine. Their surprise was even greater when he pulled from his pocket in response to their objection a pardon from the president on which the ink was scarcely dried, and which had been obtained without a hint of it even becoming public. One of the things that Spitzer testified to was that from the time that they were ostensibly suspended following the discovery of the frauds right up until they were sent to jail, the sugar trust paid the wages of himself and the checkers convicted with him, the money being brought to him by Gerbracht at Spitzer's house and Spitzer distributing it to the others.

The fact that the payments stopped when Spitzer started for Atlanta and the others for Blackwell's Island may probably account for the statement Spitzer made when he left for the penitentiary when he remarked bitterly that the company had made a scapegoat of him after twenty-nine years of faithful service, because somebody had to go to prison to save those higher up.

## DEMAND HIGHER SALARIES

Preachers Cannot Live Decently Under Present High Rates of Living.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 24.—The high cost of living is driving some of the best young men out of the ministry, according to reports made before the Presbyterian general assembly. Dr. E. L. Hymes of Indiana declared that "no young man can enter the ministry and secure enough to live decently under the present averages of salary." Delegates who took part in the discussion favored a general raise in salaries, especially in the smaller churches.

Hearing of the case against the New York Presbytery for heresy following the admission of Messrs. Steen, Fitch and Black into the ministry after they had refused to accept certain of the tenets of the church, will be brought before the convention and the trial will be one of the sensations of the meeting, which continues until Saturday.

## Big Navy Champions Win.

Washington, May 24.—Two battleships, each of 26,000 tons, will be added to the American navy as a result of the senate's action on the naval appropriation bill. The house already has authorized two battleships. This is the third year in succession that congress has voted such an increase to the navy. The naval appropriation bill carries about \$134,000,000.

## Death to the Dogs.

Logansport, Ind., May 24.—As the result of the rabies scare in the vicinity of Walton, south of this city, the town board Saturday passed an ordinance regulating the keeping of dogs within the limits of the town. The marshal was ordered to shoot every unmuzzled dog. Before nightfall the officer killed a dozen animals.

## BIG WEEK FOR OLD SOLDIERS

Annual Encampment Indiana Department G. A. R.

## TERRE HAUTE OPENS HER ARMS

Preparations Have Been Made on a Large Scale For the Entertainment of the Visiting Veterans and the Thousands Who Will Gather as Interested Onlookers During the Annual Meeting of the Veterans.

Terre Haute, Ind., May 24.—The program for the thirty-first annual encampment, G. A. R., department of Indiana, this week, has been completed and a busy week is promised. Contrary to usual custom, the annual parade of the old soldiers will be held on Wednesday, the first day of the encampment. The parade will be followed by the dedication of the soldiers' and sailors' monument erected by Vigo county at the courthouse ground. In the evening a reception will be given by the officers of the G. A. R., the W. R. C., and the Ladies of the G. A. R., at the Indiana State Normal hall. On Thursday afternoon the business meeting of the veterans will be varied by a fish fry at the site of Fort Harrison. The general business meeting will be held on Friday and the encampment will come to an end that night with a mimic naval and land battle on the banks of the Wabash. This land and water battle is to be on a big scale. The fireworks to be used in connection with it are to be more elaborate than seen in any city of the size of Terre Haute, perhaps. The fish fry at old Fort Harrison will be for a thousand or more, and only the old soldiers and visiting mayors of Indiana cities will participate.

Mayor Gerhardt has sent a program of the entertainment of mayors of Indiana cities to the guests. They are to be taken over the city in automobiles Thursday morning. They will march in a body in the parade that afternoon, and in the evening they will have a social session, with refreshments, at the German club. In his letter the mayor says: "Nothing will be prohibited except speeches."

The decorations are up and the city has been put in readiness for visitors by a week of cleaning up. The various subcommittees, working under the direction of General Chairman Filbeck, have given their time for ten days, making sure the comfort of all who come to the city.

## FEARS FOR YOUNG GIRL

Ruth Lewis Missing From Elwood, Evidently Lured From Home.

Muncie, Ind., May 24.—The police of eastern Indiana cities, especially those of Muncie, have cast a dragnet for Ruth Lewis, aged twelve, of Elwood, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis, who mysteriously disappeared from home last Thursday. A few hours after her disappearance the parents of the girl received a note postmarked Muncie, in which she said she had taken \$35 of her father's money and that her parents would not see her again. She advised them not to worry. It was found that the girl had purchased a railway ticket from Elwood to Muncie.

The girl is described by her parents as appearing to be several years older than she really is. The child is attractive. That she has fallen into evil hands is the fear of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, who say that because of their daughter's youth she would be an easy victim of designing persons.

## A WARM CONVENTION

Five Aspirants For Congress in Ninth Indiana District.

Lebanon, Ind., May 24.—The Republican congressional convention for the Ninth district being held here today promises to be a real fight for the nomination. The candidates are B. F. Harness of Kokomo, Edward Daniels of Tipton, E. E. Neal of Westfield, Irvin C. Dwiglins of Crawfordsville and B. F. Hutchinson of this city. Finley T. Mount of Crawfordsville, the Republican nominee for attorney general, is chairman.

## The Winona Assembly.

Winona Lake, Ind., May 24.—The Winona Lake assembly program for the season of 1910 is one of unusual merit. The program opens on July 3, and for six weeks daily attractions of a varied character will be presented. The assembly program will be followed by a ten days' meeting of the Winona Bible conference.

## Lost Eyes in Explosion.

Marion, Ind., May 24.—Erastus L. Lugar, aged twenty-nine, a farmer of Vanburen township, had both eyes blown out while blasting stumps. While both eyes are destroyed and his face cut and scarred, it is the belief of physicians that he will recover.

## Danger of Totin' a Gun.

Hagerstown, Ind., May 24.—Mrs. Sybil Hiatt was shot and seriously wounded at her home here while kissing her husband good-by. Hiatt had the weapon in his coat pocket and when his wife embraced him it was accidentally discharged.

## A WEAK WOMAN AND HER STORY

In Floral, Ark., Lives a Lady Who Feels That Her Strength Was Restored by Cardui.

Floral, Ark.—"I must speak a good word for Cardui," writes Mrs. Viola Baker, of this place.

"About a month ago I was in very bad health. I was so weak and nervous that I was not able to do my housework."

"My husband bought me one bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic. I took it according to directions and now I am in good health."

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See yours about it.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

## WILL TAKE BREWERS CASE TO HIGH COURT

Indiana Attorney General Loses First Round.

Indianapolis, May 23.—The Capital City Brewing company, defendant in a quo warranto proceeding brought by Attorney General Bingham, asking that the corporation be dissolved and ousted from doing business in this state on account of various alleged violations of its corporate rights, won the first round in the battle, Judge Clarence E. Weir of Marion superior court, sustaining a demurrer to the complaint. Attorney General Bingham will carry the case to the supreme court.

An extraordinary situation is expected to develop within the next few weeks, as four similar cases are pending in the other rooms of the superior court, and conflicting rulings on demurrers are looked for. It is said that although the argument took place before all the judges, the latter were unable to agree as to a decision to be handed down as the ruling in all the cases, and if present predictions prove correct a part of the Marion county bench will uphold the right of the attorney general to bring the suit in its present form, while others will deny the right. Thus some of the cases may proceed, while others, although identical in every legal essential, must come to a halt.

Judge Weir, in sustaining the demurrer, did not hold the complaint of the attorney general was insufficient or did not constitute a cause of action if properly brought. The substance of his decision is that the attorney general of Indiana has no right to bring a suit of this kind with himself as such attorney general as the relator. He held that the proper relator is the prosecuting attorney, basing this ruling upon the theory that the statute does not give the attorney general this right and that he has no inherent common law power to proceed in an action of this kind.

The effect of this decision is that, if sustained, the case at bar must fail, although the same issues involved in the complaint might be raised later by any prosecuting attorney in any county in the state in which it might be alleged that violation of corporate rights had occurred.

Money. "After all, money amounts to very little." "Yes, but in the meantime it amounts to a great deal."—Puck.

## B. & O. S-W.

St. Louis, Mo.

Account of American Medical Association and Convention of American Woman's League.

For the above Occasion Round Trip tickets will be sold to St. Louis and return at Rate of \$10.20 for the round trip. Dates of Sale June 4-5-6-7 and 8th. Return Limit June 20th, 1910.

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## MRS. BRYCE

Wife of the Popular British Ambassador at Washington.



## ANXIOUS TO RETIRE

Ambassador Bryce Is Said to Have Had Enough of Public Life.

Washington, May 23.—It is said that British Ambassador James Bryce wishes to be relieved from further duty. No confirmation of the report is obtainable here. The ambassador was highly affected by the death of



## AMBASSADOR BRYCE.

King Edward. This, coupled with advancing years and the desire to conclude the third volume of his "American Commonwealth," on which he has been working since early after his appointment, is assigned by his colleagues as lending color to the report.

## BIG BATTLE IN GRAIN NOW ON AT CHICAGO

Both Waterman and Lichstein In a Way to Lose.

Chicago, May 23.—Memories of the days when the late P. D. Armour had a fleet of steam freighters breaking the ice in Lake Superior to rush northern wheat from Duluth to Chicago and crush Joseph Leiter in his attempt to corner the grain market have been recalled in the last few days to old-timers on the board of trade by the battle between Theodore L. Waterman, the

Albany (N. Y.) miller, and A. J. Lichstein, the Chicago dealer who has sold "short" a long line of May wheat, all of which has been bought by Mr. Waterman. In the last two weeks Mr. Lichstein's wheat cargoes have formed an almost continuous line between Duluth and Chicago. He has but eight days more in which to deliver on his contracts, a settlement being required before 11 o'clock Tuesday, May 31. While Mr. Waterman insists he will be able to handle and pay for all the wheat he has bought, which is estimated at not less than 5,000,000 bushels, grain men believe both he and Mr. Lichstein, together with a host of smaller traders, stand to lose big sums of money unless they effect a private settlement.

## BACK TO WASHINGTON

Senator Lorimer May Ask Senate to Investigate His Case.

Washington, May 23.—Senator Lorimer of Illinois returned to Washington Saturday, and soon after his arrival here it was reported that the senator had just about made up his mind to ask the senate to investigate the charges of bribery that have been made in connection with his election.

Senator Lorimer was working for several hours after he got here in preparation of a statement, and the impression is that it is the defense which he will make when he asks that the charges be investigated. The senator declined to be interviewed. Mr. Lorimer has been absent from Washington for several weeks.

## Mrs. Doxey on Trial.

St. Louis, May 23.—Mrs. Dora L. Doxey, who, with her husband, Dr. Loren B. Doxey, is under indictment for the murder of William J. Erder, was placed on trial today. The state alleges that while the wife of Dr. Doxey the woman was married to Erder, and on April 26, 1909, caused his death by poisoning in order that she might obtain his life insurance.

## FIRE INTO MOB

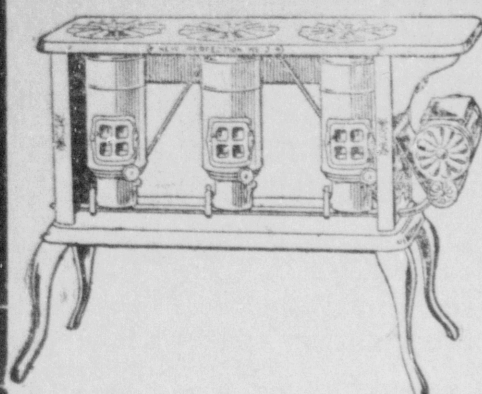
Atlanta Woman Saves Life of Negro Who Appealed For Protection.

Atlanta, Ga., May 23.—By emptying her revolver into a mob of negroes who had chased Ed Simmons, colored, onto the veranda of her home Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Thomas Murphy, a well-known Atlanta woman, prevented a lynching. Mrs. Murphy was alone when Simmons, cut and bleeding, rushed onto her veranda, crying, "Save me!" Some seventy-five negroes were in pursuit of Simmons and entered the yard of Mrs. Murphy to finish their victim. Quickly seizing her husband's revolver, Mrs. Murphy opened fire on the advancing mob. After three shots the negroes broke and fled. It is reported that three of them were found wounded. After dispersing the mob, Mrs. Murphy called the police and turned over to them the negro whose life she had saved.

## Wealthy Stockman Slain.

Springfield, Mo., May 23.—Andrew Lack, a wealthy stockman and former bank president at Lockwood, Dade county, was shot and mortally wounded there by Dr. D. J. Massey in the latter's drug store. Lack and Massey had been at outs and Lack, it is said, made threats that he would clean up Massey and proceeded toward his place of business. Massey was notified, and when he came, shot him.

By the will of Isaac C. Wyman of Salem, Mass., the bulk of his estate, which is estimated at nearly \$10,000,000, is left to Princeton university.



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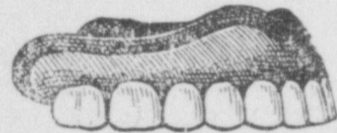
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### REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

Secretary of State—Otis E. Gulley, Danville.

Auditor of State—John E. Reed, Muncie.

Treasurer of State—Jonee Monahan, Orleans.

Attorney General—Finley P. Mount, Crawfordsville.

State Geologist—W. S. Blatchley, Terre Haute.

State Statistician—J. L. Peetz, Kokomo.

Judge Supreme Court, Second District—Oscar H. Montgomery, Seymour.

Judge Supreme Court, Third District—Robert M. Miller, Franklin.

Judge Appellate Court, First District—Cassius C. Hadley, Danville; Ward H. Watson, Charlestown.

Judges of the Appellate Court, Second District—Daniel W. Comstock, Richmond; Joseph M. Rabb, Williamsport; Harry B. Tuthill, Michigan City.

### Uniforms Ordered.

The new uniform drill team of the Red Men have ordered their suits and a traveling representative of one of the big tailoring establishments was in the city a few days ago and took the measurements for the same. The boys will probably make their first public appearance on the day that the various lodges celebrate as the decoration day. Their order includes twenty-one uniforms. There will be a company of sixteen men in line, besides Captain George Ernst, and the First and Second Lieutenants, Harry Embuff and Dr. B. S. Shinness, and the two guides. This will make the fourth uniform company here among the secret orders and our people will be glad to see them make their appearance. The Red Men is now one of our strong orders in point of membership and there is no reason why they may not have a good team.

### How's This?

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### Circuit Court.

A divorce was granted to Lloyd Carter from his wife, Florence Carter.

### Truthful.

"I thought you said the water wasn't over my head," spluttered the new pupil who couldn't swim when he had been pulled out of the ten foot tank. "It wasn't over your head when you asked me," replied the smart attendant.—Chicago News.

### Illinois Mines Tied Up.

Peoria, Ill., May 23.—With no definite plan for future action, the United Mine Workers of Illinois adjourned the convention and President Walker has issued a general strike order to the 75,000 miners in this state.

### An Ambitious Blacksmith.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 23.—John F. Breckenridge, a blacksmith of St. Joseph, has filed with the secretary of state a declaration that he is a Democratic candidate for the United States senate.

**Peaceful Phenalein Vs. Forceful Cathartics**



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## BUSY BREWERS

Their Large, Fat Hands Spreading Over the Sixth District.

[Special Correspondence.]

Indianapolis, May 24.—The Kuhn Democrats, united with the Marshall crowd, are trying hard to prevent the Taggart-Shively Democrats from controlling the Sixth district Democratic congressional convention at Richmond tomorrow. The fight is extremely bitter. It has gone so far already that it will be very difficult to line up Democrats for the congressional nominee, no matter what Democratic victim is presented for consideration. The Kuhn men are asking John Kern's friends in the district to rally for the twice-defeated Richmond minister-politician. These Kuhn partisans urge that Kuhn sacrificed much for the Marshall idea and aided largely in making it possible for the Democratic state convention to select Kern for United States senator. They say Mr. Kuhn ought to be treated well by Kern and his friends on this account. But the Kern men, the really close ones, are taking their coaching, these days, from Taggart and the bosses. If Kern had anything to say it probably would be smothered by the large, fat hands of the brewers who have taken his campaign in charge. It is a life or death struggle for Kuhn, and the chances seem to be about even.

To show how anxious the Taggart men are to defeat Kuhn, witness the fact that within the last day they have been trying by every means and method known to politics to induce W. F. Lontz of Wayne county to enter the congressional contest, split Wayne and take the nomination away from Kuhn. Mr. Lontz has said that he would not take the chance. He is willing to permit Dr. Kuhn to have not only the nomination but the defeat that goes with it. He sees that with Democratic party strife as it now exists, no man can unite the factions and win. Starting with a considerable Republican plurality against them, the Democrats realize that they have got to poll all their own votes straight, and a lot of Republicans besides. It seems that Dr. Kuhn, the twice-beaten, is willing to whirl once more and face the Republican party foe. W. F. Lontz, business man, is willing that Dr. Kuhn shall do the fighting again. The fact that efforts are being made to break into Wayne county with a new candidate goes to show that Dr. Kuhn's organization may be a lot stronger than the Taggart men bargained for. So the outcome of the Richmond convention of Democrats continues a puzzle.

The Lebanon convention of Ninth district Republicans, which opened this forenoon with Finley P. Mount of Crawfordsville as chairman, is another of those political puzzles. Banker E. C. Bowen of Delphi, Carroll county, is a possible late-coming factor in the Ninth. It has not been generally believed that Mr. Bowen would consider the congressional nomination. His financial interests are large, varied and growing. He is a raiser of blooded cattle and wins blue ribbons every year on heifers. He was owner of the champion heifer at the Indiana state fair last year, and he takes more joy in perfect cattle than in politics or its rewards. But he has been mentioned seriously as a dark horse in the last few days.

Howard Mountz of Garrett has been nominated by the Republicans for judge of the circuit court in the Dekalb-Steuken circuit. Judge E. A. Bratton, now on the bench, refused to run for a renomination, holding that Dekalb county, and not Steuben, ought to have the nomination this year. The nomination was made by acclamation, and the utmost good feeling marked the convention. It is confidently asserted that Judge Mountz will be elected. He is a member of the law firm of Mountz & Brinkerhoff. He was born in Steuben county in 1871. He graduated from the DePauw university law school in 1894. He has practiced law at Garrett since 1895. The law firm with which he is now identified was formed in 1904. Judge Mountz has had a large practice. He is a hard worker and a speaker of unusual ability. He expects to make an active campaign for the whole Republican ticket in Steuben and Dekalb counties.

Smith Askren of Harrison county, Democratic representative who voted for Senator Shively in 1909 while instructed by the home folks to vote for John W. Kern for United States senator, is another one of the secret ballot caucus members who found the voters aroused against trickery and double-dealing. As a result of the Askren vote for Shively and against Kern, the representative was opposed strongly for renomination, and won by only four votes. It is said he will be defeated at the polls on the Kern betrayal issue.

### The Oldest Horse Dead.

Poughkeepsie, May 24.—What was probably the oldest horse in the world, "Punch," the petted scion of a famous line of polo horses, and himself the cleverest of his strain, is dead at the farm of A. T. Jones in Hyde Park. "Punch's" remains were interred with all the respect and care that could be accorded a human being, in the front yard of Mr. Jones's home, where a monument on which will be inscribed a record of his achievements and virtues will be erected. "Punch" was forty-five years old on May 12.

Princeton overwhelmed the Harvard baseball team, winning by the score of 7 to 1, and having won the first game, is the victor in the annual meeting.

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### FIGHT ANTS WITH FUMES

Columbus Nurseryman Uses Hydrocyanic Gas to Rout Insects.

Mirman McFeron, a nurseryman, who was called to Mitchell and Bedford a few weeks ago to wage war on white ants, has again been called to Bedford. Ants have made their appearance at the home of J. H. Hartley. The white ants had been eating away the timbers of his home and all but took charge of the house. McFeron "shot them" with hydrocyanic gas, and believes they will not come back.

Kidney trouble is particularly to be dreaded because its presence is not usually discovered until it has assumed one of its worst forms—diabetes, dropsy, or Bright's disease. If you suspect that your kidneys are affected, by all means use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea—the great systematic cleanser and regulator.

Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

It is reported that on account of a hard rain last week the bottoms in the east part of Scott county have been flooded for several days. The farmers were planting corn in that vicinity when the rain came and as a result their work has been greatly delayed.

Great Falls, Mont.—Chas. Geisser, of this city says: "Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has been a great help to me. I have used it for two years and can recommend it as a good blood purifier."

Andrews-Schwenk Drug Co.

Mrs. Hulda Balsley, who moved to Indianapolis some time ago, has returned here. Her son, Caleb Balsley, returned here several weeks ago and accepted a position as brakeman on the B. & O. S-W. Their household goods arrived here last Friday.

A touch of rheumatism, or a twinge of neuralgia, whatever the trouble is, Chamberlain's Liniment drives away the pain at once and cures the complaint quickly. First application gives relief. Sold by all dealers.

Otis Bortorff, of New York City, was in the city Monday and went to Louisville. He reported that his mother who underwent an operation at Columbus a few days ago, was doing as well as could be expected.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will clear the sour stomach, sweeten the breath and create a healthy appetite. They promote the flow of gastric juice, thereby inducing good digestion. Sold by all dealers.

Engineer and Mrs. Charles Walters and family arrived here from North Vernon this morning and will occupy the residence which they recently purchased of Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Harris on North Ewing street. Their household goods have already arrived.

Never hesitate about giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to children. It contains no opium or other narcotics and can be given with implicit confidence. As a quick cure for coughs and colds to which children are susceptible, it is unsurpassed. Sold by all dealers.

### A WARM INSURGENT.

Congressman Miles Poin-dexter of Washington.



Scott Shields was unable to make his regular delivery this week. He will soon receive a new supply of cold cream.

### Census Enumerator's Story.

Census Enumerator Conklin of Millerton, N. Y., recently reported a curious incident on Silver mountain, where people live to be quite old. Finding an aged man sitting on the front porch and weeping bitterly, the enumerator inquired the trouble, whereupon the man ejaculated:

"My dad licked me."

"How old are you?" asked Conklin.

"Eighty-nine," was the reply.

"Where is your father?"

"He's behind the house splitting wood."

Conklin found the old man engaged at the wood pile and among other questions asked him why he had whipped his son.

"Why, the little cuss was throwing stones at his grandad!" the woodchopper answered. Conklin then inquired, "Where is his grandfather?"

The man said as he resumed his attack on the wood pile, "Oh, he got hit on the head and has gone in to have his mother put on some sticking plaster!"

### A Curious Funeral Ceremony.

It is said that when Alaric, the conqueror of Rome, died "a river was turned aside to make place in its bed for his grave and when he was buried the water was again let into its former channel and the prisoners who had helped to bury him were killed so that no one might find out where the conqueror of Rome was buried.

The river turned was the Busento and the place near Cosentino, Italy.

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## PERSONAL.

Ezra Scott was here from Mooney Monday evening.

Miss Flossie Johnson went to Indianapolis this morning.

J. G. Laupus was a passenger to Indianapolis this morning.

C. E. Layton, of Kokomo, was here on business this morning.

C. H. Myer, of Washington, was in the city Monday evening.

Clyde J. Roach was here from Indianapolis today on business.

Miss Vada Shank of Redding township, was in this city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Griffith were here from Louisville to spend the day.

Noah Cox and E. W. Bowman were here from Little York Monday evening.

William H. Bower was here from Kurtz a short time Monday on business.

Miss Lena Maggard returned home Monday from a short visit at Indianapolis.

Mrs. Harry Wedding was here from Tunnelton a short time this morning between trains.

Mrs. J. W. Kindred went to Indianapolis this morning to visit relatives and friends.

Miss Stena Charles returned from Indianapolis Monday where she has been on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boone left for Oklahoma Monday to visit her sister and other relatives.

Conductor and Mrs. E. Clendennen have returned from a short visit with her parents at Bedford.

Hallock EdDaly returned to West Baden Monday after a short visit with his family here.

Oscar Brooke, of Brownstown, was here Monday evening to attend the commencement exercises.

Trustee Frank H. Lemp, of Redding township was transacting business in Brownstown yesterday.

Mrs. Flora Gaston-Smith and her husband were here from Freetown a short time Saturday on business.

Walter Ringwalt, one of the local recruiting officers, returned here Monday after a short visit at Bedford.

Mrs. Oscar Brook, of Brownstown, was in the city this morning and went north on the L. C. & S. traction line.

Barney Lahrman was here from Brownstown late Monday afternoon and went north on the Pennsylvania line.

Norbourne Short of Redding township, attended the commencement exercises at the opera house Monday evening.

Miss Myrta Killey, of Scottsburg, was here this morning on her way to Danville where she is attending school.

O. L. Biel and Mr. Kennedy, who are helping to take down the old telephone lines here, spent Sunday in Louisville.

Valford Weithoff has left for Chicago where he will spend the summer. He will probably remain there until September.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reno and daughter, of McKinley, Maine, are here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Deppert, of Sulphur Springs, attended the commencement exercises at the opera house Monday night.

W. E. Payne returned to Brownstown Monday evening, having attended the commencement exercises at the Majestic Theatre.

Oscar Meade, of Washington county, was in the city Monday en route to Freetown to visit his son, Carl Meade, of the Freetown bank.

Miss McDonald, a teacher from the Chestnut Ridge neighborhood, went to Danville this morning to attend the Central Normal School.

Harry J. Martin, who has been in Franklin for several days, returned to this city this morning. He is making preparations to move to Seymour.

Mrs. Wm. Sherman and son, Herbert, who were here the guests of her mother, Mrs. John Alberring, have returned to their home at Indianapolis.

Thomas M. Honan, Edward P. Elsner and John H. Kamman were among the Seymour attorneys who went to Brownstown this morning to look after legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Harlow of Honeytown, Mrs. Louise Pardieck of this city, and Mrs. Lena Harlow were the guests of Mrs. Louis Endebrook at Cincinnati Sunday.

Mrs. Jesse Ashbaugh, daughter of Mrs. W. P. Rooney, left this morning for Salt Lake, Marie, Mich., to join her husband, after spending a few months with relatives here and at St. Louis.

Mrs. Lawrence Cochran and Mrs. Elmer Kenned., of Indianapolis, made a short visit Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira McConnell, of South Bill street. They were on their way to Brownstown to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Schwein.

Mrs. Harry Miller returned home, Monday night from a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends at New York City and at Huntington and Catlettsburg, W. Va. She left here brother at Catlettsburg very much improved.

## PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER.

Helen Taft as Theseus in Entertainment at Bryn Mawr.



Photo by American Press Association.

Chase Jones was here from Mitchell Sunday evening.

B. F. Prosser was here from Indianapolis Monday evening.

T. J. Stanfield has gone to Mississippi on a business trip this week.

Lynan Gruber was here from Redding township this morning on business.

R. R. Short and son, Oscar, of Redding township, were in the city this morning.

Henry Kattman was here from Brownstown Monday morning and made a business trip north on the L. C. & S. traction line.

Curtis Gallion and son and daughter, Mollie, and Miss Mabel, were here from Muncie yesterday the guests of his brother-in-law, Thornton Dodds, and wife, of East Second street.

## Will Institute June Fourth.

June 4 is the date set for instituting the new Pocahontas Council in this city. Those who are interesting themselves in the organization have already sent for the charter. The charter will be held open till they institute the lodge, a week from next Saturday night. The Columbus degree team will put on the initiatory work. Any woman between the ages of 18 and 50 is eligible and especially are the wives and daughters and friends of Red Men desired. Already they have near forty names and they expect to institute the lodge with about a hundred members in sight. They will meet on Thursday night of this week at the Red Men's hall, on the third floor of the Gold Mine building, to elect the officers and complete the organization. A banquet will be served on Saturday night following the work of initiation.

## Verne Hartelroad Convicted.

Wabash, Ind., May 23.—Verne Hartelroad, twenty-six years old, was convicted in the Wabash circuit court of intent to kill Mrs. Floyd J. Webb, and sentenced to from two to fourteen years in prison. Hartelroad shot down Mrs. Webb while the two were alone in the Webb home, March 26. Mrs. Webb had to be carried to the witness stand.

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## NO REPORT FILED.

State Chemist Has Not Yet Made  
Known the Result of Analysis.

Frank Dowden, county coroner, has not yet received the report of the State Chemist regarding the analysis of the stomach of the late Hiram Beatty, which was made to ascertain if there could be found traces of poison, which Mr. Beatty declared

was given to him in wine. The chemists were out of the office yesterday, and the woman who was in charge of the office knew nothing whatever of the case. The coroner expected a message concerning the case this afternoon, but up until 3:30 this afternoon nothing had been heard from the state laboratory.

It is believed that a report will be filed some time tomorrow, as the State Chemist thought that the analysis would not require but a short time.

## BORN.

To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Altemeyer, of Hamilton township, on Monday, May 23, 1910, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Vincenzo Allegro, of Broadway and Fourth streets, on Saturday, May 21, 1910, a daughter.

## Look Here

A nice, new four-room cottage, with two lots, cement walks, in Third ward, near the Ahlbrand Carriage Company plant, for \$950. This is a snap and must be sold by June 1. See E. C. Bollinger at once. Phones, office, 186; residence, 5.

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Without, the rumble of the street,  
The flare of lamps, the fall of rain;  
Within, the firelight and the beat  
Of drops against the window pane.

Your thin gown rustles as you rise;  
You cross the room; you touch the  
keys,  
The outer uproar and the cries  
Fade as the drone of passing bees.

I close my eyes; the night rolls by,  
The dead, dark years are rent and  
torn;  
Their crimson flecks the emerald sky;  
A silver star shines in the morn.

No earth there is, but heaven, the star,  
And glowing clouds whose perfect  
hue  
Is fairer than the sky they bar;  
Life's dawn lit up by the love of you.

Above the crescent song of Day  
The morning star sings once again.  
The mists of years are rolled away;  
Hope rises whence she long has lain.

The sweet notes die along the night;  
The outer uproar suddenly  
Swells in the room; the fire's warm  
light  
Shines on your white face turned to  
me.

—A. B. the Speaker.

## CELESTE'S CHANCE

It was the lamb chops that began it.  
"Mother simply must have them,"  
Celeste had said, with her crooked little  
smile, that was half pathos.

She counted the money in the small  
pocketbook, and looked thoughtful.

"It means that you and I will have  
soup again, 'Titia,' she decided. 'I'll  
get a bone with a lot of meat on it,  
and a choice collection of vegetables,  
and if it is a cold day it will be all  
right, won't it.'

Letitia tried to respond with enthu-  
siasm, but failed. "We have soup so  
often!" she murmured.

Just then from the next room came  
a tired voice:

"Girls, if you are planning my din-  
ner, I don't want anything but toast  
and tea."

"O dear, she heard!" and Celeste  
slid down from the couch and limped  
to the door.

"Mother, deary," she said, "we shall  
be rich to-morrow, when Letitia gets  
paid for her music lessons."

The little white lady, propped up  
among her pillows, smiled at the slender  
maiden with the crown of red-gold  
puffs. "Yes, and then you will buy  
birds for me. But I shan't let you."

Celeste smiled her crooked smile.  
"You are like a bird yourself," she  
evaded. "If I were Muffles, I should  
eat you," and she smoothed the great  
yellow cat, which lay like a spot of  
gold on the white cover.

"Ah, Muffles"—the little white lady  
touched the soft head with her thin  
fingers—"he is fat and lazy, but he  
loves me—"

"Everybody loves you," said Celeste,  
"and it's too bad that you have to be  
so much alone. But I am so slow  
about things—"

"Yes, my deary," said her mother,  
pitifully, for Celeste's crooked smile  
was not the only crooked thing about  
her. There was the turned foot that  
made the little limp.

"I wish I could do something besides  
housework," Celeste confided, as she  
and her sister ate a frugal luncheon  
of bread and jelly on the kitchen table.  
"If only I had some of your brilliancy,  
'Titia, dear."

"You have a dozen talents in one,"  
Letitia held her bread delicately in the  
tips of her long white fingers. She was  
tall and her hair was golden. Even in  
her shabby suit of gray she was ex-  
ceedingly good to look at, and Celeste  
adored her. "You have a dozen tal-  
ents," she repeated, "if only you had a  
chance to develop them."

If she only had a chance! Celeste  
thought about it as she made her limp-  
ing way through the frosty streets to  
the provision shop.

There did not seem to be much  
chance for a girl with a limp and a  
crooked smile. If her father had lived,  
she might have learned to paint; that  
was the dream of her life—to paint as  
well as Letitia played. But there had  
been a friend of her mother's to teach  
Letitia, and no one had offered such an  
opportunity to Celeste.

She sighed as she neared the little  
shop with the shabby sign, which  
read:

C. Smith.  
Staple and Fancy Groceries and Meats,  
Vegetables, Fish and Oysters in Sea-  
son.

C. Smith was a chubby little man,  
who did not seem to get along very  
well in the world. People were apt to  
pass the shop with the shabby sign  
for the more pretentious stores up the  
street. But Celeste liked him because  
of his cheery smile, and because his  
meats were very fresh and very good.

"But he doesn't know how to display  
his wares," she thought, as she glanced  
toward the little window, where ev-  
erything was higgledy-piggledy. Her  
artist's soul revolted at the fly-speckled  
cracker-boxes, the left-over vegetables,  
the tipsy signs.

The lamb chops, however, were kept  
in a white-tiled refrigerator, and the  
meat-block and knives and C. Smith's  
own apron were as clean as possible.

"I want another soup bone," Celeste  
stated, and smiled her crooked smile.  
"It probably seems to you that we are  
living on soup."

C. Smith smiled back. "I know it is  
going to be a good soup," he remarked.  
"The very sound of the vegetables as

you say them over is different from  
the way other people do it. You use  
red peppers and okra, don't you?"

"Yes, I had the receipt from my  
grandmother. She called it creole  
soup. I believe cooking is my only  
talent."

"Well, my talent is cutting meat,"  
C. Smith confided, as he wrapped up  
the parcels. "I don't seem to succeed  
much at anything else. Nobody would  
come here if it wasn't that I have the  
best meat. And as it is, most of my  
trade is leaving me—and I don't see  
why."

Celeste sat down on a box to talk.  
The limping little foot was tired, and  
she usually rested before she began  
the long walk home.

"Well, maybe you are like me," she  
said. "I am sixteen, and I haven't had  
my chance."

"But I am three times sixteen," said  
C. Smith, thoughtfully, "and I am a  
man. It seems as if I ought to know  
how to work up trade."

Celeste's eyes wandered to the untidy  
window. "If you wouldn't mind a sug-  
gestion," she said, hesitatingly.

"Not a bit," said C. Smith, briskly,  
and sat down on another box.

"Well, if you would fix up your win-  
dow—"

"I know," C. Smith agreed, "what  
you mean. But I haven't a bit of an  
idea about things like that. And  
there's mother. She lives over the  
store, but she has no ideas, either—not  
about fixing up—and there you are."

"Maybe if you would just take out  
those cracker-boxes and put in fresh  
fruit and vegetables every day," Cele-  
ste suggested.

"Maybe it would help," he agreed,  
with enthusiasm; and Celeste, having  
rested the limping foot, went home  
and put on the soup to boil.

It was really a very good soup. Let-  
itia admitted that. "You always man-  
age to give it a distinct flavor," she  
said, as the two girls sat together at  
the little table, in the halo of soft  
lamplight. "Even the soup bone tastes  
like more expensive meat."

Their mother added her commendation  
when she drank a cup of it,  
strained, and Muffles, feasting on soup  
meat, expressed his feelings in an ap-  
preciative "Purr-up!"

On the strength of their approbation,  
Celeste carried a pitcher of the  
soup the next morning to C. Smith. "I  
thought you and your mother might



"I HAVEN'T HAD MY CHANCE."

like it," she said, "and everybody can't  
make it."

C. Smith flushed with pleasure. "You  
come right up and see mother," he  
said, so Celeste climbed the stairway  
haltingly, and came into the bright  
room above.

C. Smith's mother warmed the soup  
at once. "Charles will like it for his  
lunch," she quavered, with a smile  
that matched C. Smith's own for  
cheeriness.

And presently, when Celeste went  
downstairs, the owner of the shop  
said to her, "How do you like the win-  
dow?" Celeste looked at it somewhat  
dubiously.

The fly-speckled cracker boxes were  
gone, but the fresh fruit and vegeta-  
bles were in a jumbled mass that did  
not tempt the eye. "It is better," she  
said, "but it isn't best."

"I know," C. Smith admitted, "but  
somehow I haven't the hang of that  
sort of thing."

Celeste had an inspiration. "If you  
will let me come early in the morn-  
ing," she said, "before many people  
are on the street, I will fix it for you."  
"I couldn't trouble you," he protest-  
ed, but the look in his eyes said, "I  
wish you would."

"It wouldn't be any trouble," Cele-  
ste insisted. "I could sit on the box  
and direct you. And I am under a  
lot of obligations to you. You always  
give me more meat on the soup bone  
than just a dime's worth, and yester-  
day I saw the prices on the okra in  
other windows, and you couldn't pos-  
sibly have afforded to give me all that  
you did for a nickel."

He flushed at that. "Oh, I wanted  
to do it," he said, simply. "I guess a  
man has a right to do as he pleases."  
"So has a woman," said Celeste,  
with her crooked smile, "and I'll be  
here very early in the morning."

The next day people coming along  
the village street stopped to gaze into  
C. Smith's window. There was noth-  
ing there but pumpkins and pine-  
apples. But the pumpkins were ter-  
raced in even rows, and between each  
pumpkin was placed symmetrically a  
pineapple, and the gold of the pump-  
kins and the russet and dull green of  
the pineapples were matched by the  
tints of the autumn leaves which  
framed the window.

C. Smith sold all the pumpkins and  
all the pineapples, and the next morn-  
ing people again stopped and stared,  
to behold a great block of ice, hollowed  
to hold a quart or more of luscious  
oysters.

A wreath of green hid the shallow  
pan in which the ice was placed; be-  
yond this was another wreath of cel-  
ery, while flanking the whole, boxes  
of crackers and bottles of catsup and  
sauces suggested the appropriate ac-  
companiment to such a feast.

C. Smith had a run that day on sea

foods, and the next week the house-  
keepers flocked to see a triangle of  
green peppers outlined with a vivid  
line of red peppers, while behind them  
was an orderly row of young cabbages,  
each topped by a tomato. A little sign  
told the housekeepers that now was  
the time for making pickles, and that  
a choice receipt for such pickles would  
go with each order of vegetables.

The receipt was written on cards  
in Celeste's neat hand, and C. Smith  
told her radiantly that night that ev-  
erything was sold.

"But I don't see what you are mak-  
ing out of it," he said.

"I am having the fun," said Cele-  
ste. "I like to think of the window  
work as a study in still life. And I  
like to know that I can attract cus-  
tom; it gives me a sense of power."

But C. Smith was thinking, and the  
next day he made a suggestion. "Look  
here," he said, "you make some of  
your creole soup. Lots of my custom-  
ers would like to have it. I can tell  
them that you will have it here hot  
in porcelain pails at twelve o'clock.  
You ought to earn something that  
way."

And that was the beginning of C.  
Smith's delicatessen department and  
of Celeste's success. And when, the  
day before Thanksgiving, the wonder-  
ful window was gorgeous with its cir-  
cle of crimson cranberries, its gold of  
lemons and oranges, Celeste's master-  
piece, a great roast turkey, stuffed  
with chestnuts and laid on a blue plat-  
ter, had the place of honor.

As the business grew, she hired a  
helper, and the creole soup, delectable  
little pots of baked beans and baked  
ham were served on alternate days.  
C. Smith took in a bright boy to wait  
on the customers who thronged the  
counter. There was no fly-speckled  
untidiness, and although Celeste was  
rarely in evidence, her influence was  
over it all.

C. Smith even swung a new sign in  
the place of the shabby one, and pros-  
perity reigned.

"And the best of it is," said Celeste,  
as she made plans for the summer  
which was to give her mother a trip  
to the mountains, "the best of it is  
that when we come back I shall study  
painting."

"And then you'll have your chance,"  
said Letitia.

But Celeste smiled. "My chance  
came," she said, "with the pumpkins  
and pineapples in C. Smith's window,  
and with that first pitcher of grand-  
mother's creole soup."—Youth's Com-  
panion.

## WHY BEAUTIES WED PLAIN MEN

Woman Says That They Are More  
Faithful than Handsome Ones.

Did you ever ponder over the prob-  
lem of why pretty girls marry plain  
men? A lady has thought the matter  
out, and thinks the girl who selects a  
plain or even ugly mate is wise, London  
Tit-Bits says.

The wise girl, she asserts, is perfect-  
ly aware that the ugly man will make  
a far better husband than the Adonis  
who is adored by every feminine be-  
holder of his charms. The ugly man  
is so frequently accustomed to being  
ignored or slighted by the empty-head-  
ed but good-looking woman that the  
sensible girl who is able to see below  
the surface at once finds a faithful ad-  
mirer and grateful slave.

Compliments from the plain man are  
of far more value than the easy flattery  
of the much-sought-after hand-  
some male, who is seldom so sincere  
through reason of opportunity and ad-  
equate practice. And not being so "run  
after," the man lacking in outward  
charms is less likely to cause his wife  
jealous pangs or feelings of loneliness  
at the sight of an empty chair and a  
torn dress tie.

Ugly men who marry pretty women  
are always far prouder of their wives  
than the romantic Romeo of girlish  
dreams. The former feel grateful to  
the beautiful wife, while the latter  
imagine that the debt of honor is on  
the woman they have condescended to  
wed. All women are naturally attract-  
ed to good looks, and the man who is  
fair to look upon is more tempted to  
pose as a bachelor if the chance of a  
summer flirtation arises than his  
brother of homely physical fascina-  
tions.

The girl who marries an ugly man  
can be certain that her love is not a  
mere fancy of the moment rising out  
of her admiration for a well-cut nose  
and chiseled mouth. The love a girl  
bestows on an ugly man is deeper,  
more lasting and more worthy of the  
name than the quickly given and easy  
spent affection of the woman who ig-  
nores the faults of the handsome lover  
and considers only the shapeliness of  
his hands, the color of his hair, and  
the "lovely voice," as he warbles soul-  
stirring sentimental compositions.

Plain men generally marry early in  
life, as soon as funds will permit, while  
the good-looking males prefer to enjoy  
the fun a little longer, and to bask  
in the admiring glances and pleased  
smiles of the maidens upon whom they  
bestow their patronage.

## Woes of the Collector.

"Did you get anything out of her?"  
asked the business manager of the  
collector.

"Yes; she paid me a compliment.  
Said she wouldn't be afraid to trust  
me with the money if she had it."—  
New York Times.

## Not Immortal.

Poet—Didn't you like the verses I  
wrote yesterday?  
Editor—No; they would offend our  
readers.

Poet—Sir, those lines are immortal!  
Editor—Don't fool yourself. I  
"killed" 'em myself.—Cleveland Leader.

We don't think any too much of a  
woman who wears silk stockings while  
her husband sports cotton socks with  
holes in them.

## A WAKING NIGHTMARE.

A chance visitor to a Chinese tim-  
ber camp has related, in Chambers'  
Journal, an extraordinary adventure  
with a crocodile, in which the cro-  
codile came very near having the best  
of it. "Arriving in my boat at the  
little jetty or landing place, I was as-  
tonished to find Graham, the white  
man in charge of the camp, lying on  
a rattan couch within a few yards of  
the bank, with a heavy express rifle  
across his knees, gazing intently at  
a rough pagoda, or fence, erected in the  
stream.

"Throwing myself down near him  
in the welcome shade, I learned the  
following story:

Two nights before Graham was  
sleeping peacefully in his little palm-  
leaf house, in a clearing about twenty  
yards from the river bank, when his  
dog began to growl, and refused to be  
silenced.

"Graham turned out and walked  
round the hut to ascertain the cause  
of the disturbance, but seeing nothing,  
addressed himself to the dog, in his  
usual vigorous sailing ship language,  
and retired to bed again.

"Five minutes later he was once  
more aroused by a yelp from the dog,  
and this time, really annoyed, he  
seized a stick and sallied forth to in-  
flict punishment on the disturber of  
his dreams. Suddenly a dark form  
glided swiftly from the shadows, and  
Graham felt himself seized by the  
right knee as in a vise.

"Stooping to free himself, he found  
he was in the grip of a large cro-  
codile, whose teeth were firmly embed-  
ded in the flesh.

"Backward and forward the strug-  
gle swayed—the crocodile striving to  
pull its detained victim to the water's  
edge, and Graham, hampered as he  
was by his imprisoned leg, fighting for  
his life to reach higher ground. At  
last the beast, hurling its victim to  
the ground with a shake of its pow-  
erful tail, began to drag him swiftly  
toward the water.

"Poor Graham, feeling, as he ex-  
pressed it, that it was 'all over, bar  
the shouting,' determined to make one  
last effort for his life, and taking ad-  
vantage of a momentary halt as the  
brute was steering past a tree stump,  
he sat up and succeeded in getting  
both his thumbs into the reptile's eye-  
sockets—the only vulnerable part of a  
crocodile's head.

"The rest of the story is, perhaps,  
best told in Graham's own words, or  
as nearly as circumstances will per-  
mit:

"As soon as I gits my thumbs made  
fast in 'is eyes, 'e opens 'is mouth  
to shout, an' lets go my leg. Then,  
first thing next mornin', the coolies  
lays 'is breakfast for 'im, as you see,  
an' I gets into this chair, an' 'ere I  
stays, if it's a month."

"Vainly I tried to persuade him to  
come away with me to the next sta-  
tion and see a doctor. I argued with  
him, I implored him, but it was ab-  
solutely useless. He refused to move  
from that chair till he had bagged his  
crocodile, and I was at last obliged  
to leave him, having dressed his leg,  
and exhausted every known means of  
persuasion short of brute force.

"I met him again a week later in  
a hospital bed, suffering severely, but  
quite happy in the knowledge that  
the bones of that crocodile were  
bleaching in the sun outside his  
house."

## AMERICAN WAGES.

Average in Trades Probably Higher  
than in Any of European Cities.

"The average wage in America may  
be, and probably is, higher than in  
European countries, but in the profes-  
sions I believe the people earn more  
abroad than they do here," remarked  
Dr. F. A. Limoges, a physician of Paris,  
at the Raleigh.

"I understand that the average in-  
come of the American physician does  
not exceed \$1,000. There are 2,500 phy-  
sicians in Paris, and of that number  
more than half earn in excess of \$1,600  
a year, while the others fall below that  
figure. Few of them, however, earn  
less than \$1,000 a year. The average  
income of the French doctor, I believe,  
is greater than that of the American  
physician, and it is probable that there  
is a greater number of doctors who  
have large practices and earn larger  
sums than there is in this country.  
There are more specialists, perhaps, in  
France than there are here, and the  
same is true all over Europe, I think.

"I am told that there are 2,000 ad-  
vocates practicing law in Paris. A fourth  
of these earn more than \$2,000 a year,  
and probably 100 receive above \$10,000  
a year. I have no idea what your law-  
yers earn, but I do not believe they  
average more than the advocates of  
France. I presume that the average  
income of your people depends largely  
on the section of country in which you  
strike an average. I was informed the  
other day that the average income of  
America is about \$400. The average  
income of a Paris household is \$720,  
while that of the fashionable quarter  
is said to be about \$5,600. In the  
Faubourg Saout Honore it is placed at  
\$3,700, while in the Madeleine district  
it is \$3,500. A good dentist in Paris  
can earn on an average more than  
other professional men. It was an American,  
I believe, who had the distinction  
of being the most celebrated dentist in  
Paris and who earned a fortune there."

—Washington Herald.

## A Compliment Now.

"But, mamma, you told me never to  
call a person a pig."

"But, daughter, that was before the  
price went up."—Houston Post.

How some people do like to advertise  
the few virtues they possess!

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advice has helped thousands. Surely any woman, rich or  
poor, should be glad to take advantage of this generous  
offer of assistance. Address Mrs. Pinkham, care of Lydia  
E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

## MUST RETURN TO FARM.

The Only Remedy, Pastor Talmage  
Says, for High Prices.

Preaching upon the laws of "Bible  
Finance," Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage,  
pastor of the Chambers-Wylie Presby-  
terian Church, Philadelphia, declared  
that the high prices of food could pri-  
marily be traced to the fact that Amer-  
icans no longer remained on the farms.  
He said in part:

The great trouble about the world  
to-day is too many men do not want  
to work. They are afraid of the cal-  
lous hand and the rough clothes of the  
laborer. They want to be gentlemen.  
To be gentlemen, they think, they  
must do differently from what their  
fathers did. The result: The men  
who gave to this country the sterling  
worth which it has are gradually pass-  
ing away.

Do you know why this cry of high  
prices for food has come? I will tell  
you. It is true that the trusts might  
for a time hold the prices up, but only  
for a little while at the most. The  
reason we have high prices for food  
is because the strong American pa-  
triot, who were once the great food  
producers of this country, have left  
the farm. Those farms are now being  
taken by the ignorant foreign em-  
igrants, who hardly know the differ-  
ence between the right hand and the  
left. What is to be the outcome? Un-  
less the American people send their  
best blood back to the farm this coun-  
try is doomed.

Go almost anywhere you will, and

you can find that what I say is true.  
There are thousands of farms in this  
country which can be bought for the  
price of the buildings on their land.  
Why? Because the men who have  
been on those farms were too ignorant  
to run them. If the American boy is  
willing to make the same preparation  
in the great agricultural schools to fit  
himself for his life's work upon the  
farm, as he would study to fit him-  
self for the law or medicine, not only  
would he earn for himself a substan-  
tial livelihood, but more than that—  
he would be one of the great producers  
of whom our country is so much in  
need.

James Hill has just sounded forth  
this warning: "Back to the land" is  
the cry of all thinking men. Yet the  
men and the women will swarm into  
these large cities, where they are not  
needed, and leave the farms of this  
country empty of those men who made  
this nation what it is.

## Wanted a Small One.

Customer—My wife told me to stop  
in and buy her a bathing suit. What  
are your prices and sizes?

Dealer—We have a very nice one  
here that I'm sure she will like. A  
\$50 bill will just cover it.

Customer—That is just about the  
size she wants. How much is it?—  
Springfield Union.

We feel sorry for a man who has oc-  
casion to walk along the street and  
carry a white parasol over the head  
of some woman.

## Day After Day

One will find



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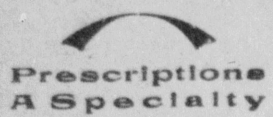
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the time—morning, noon  
and night.

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In effect May 10, 1910.

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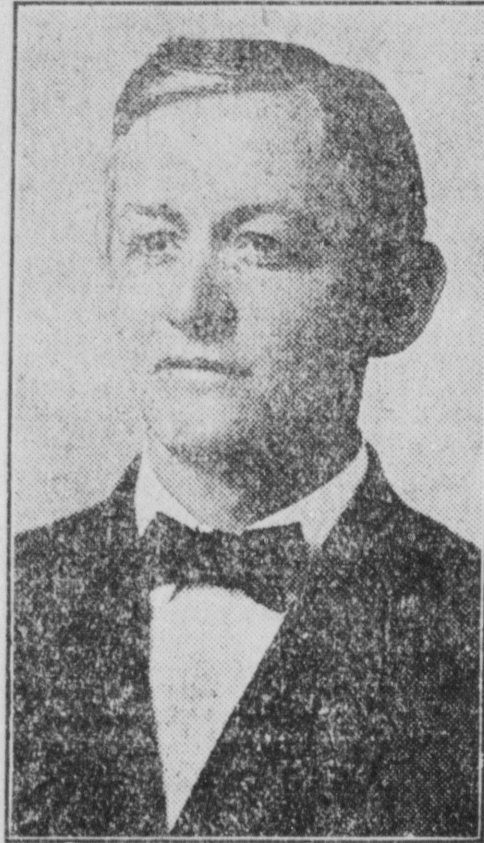
Account G. A. R. Encampment, Department of Indiana, Terre Haute, Indiana, May 25-27, 1910.

For the above occasion we will sell excursion tickets to Terre Haute and return on the following basis, distance less than fifty miles \$1.50 for the round trip, unless the double one way local rate is less, for distance over fifty miles, fare to be one and one half fare for the round trip, sufficient to be added to make fare end in "0" or "5".

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## ED. V. FITZPATRICK

Named by Indiana Republicans  
For Clerk of Supreme Court.REFORM IN JUDAISM  
IS MOVING FORWARD  
Temple Emanuel Deposits Rabbi  
For Preaching Reaction.

New York, May 24.—At the regular annual meeting of the trustees and congregation of Temple Emanuel at Fifth avenue and Forty-third street last night, action was taken which will terminate the career of Judah Leon Magnes as associate rabbi of the temple. The meeting was sparsely attended. On April 2 Dr. Magnes preached a sermon in which he set forth clearly his views on the subject of reform in Judaism. His position amounted to a counter reform, and he stands in opposition to the general direction which this church and others of the Jewish reform movement have been upholding.

His so-called counter reforms embrace the following: A reinstitution of the study of the Hebrew language in Sunday school lessons; a re-establishment of the Hebrew confirmation for boys (bar mitsvah); the establishment of adult classes for the study of Hebrew literature, and an abandonment of the union prayerbook used at present in all the reformed Hebrew churches in which, according to his characterization, reform approaches its petrification, and the substitution thereof of the traditional Jewish prayerbook.

When the annual meeting was called last night Jacob H. Schiff, who is a member of the congregation, but not of the board of trustees, arose and made a brief speech advising those present of the importance of the decision they were about to make.

The board of trustees then presented their recommendations to the effect that Rabbi Magnes had offered conditions which they were unable to accept. It was decided that a committee should consider the choice of some rabbi to whom a call will be made to fill Magnes's place.

## Her Last Hope Vanishes.

Washington, May 24.—Liliuokalani, former queen of Hawaii, has again met defeat in her effort to secure \$450,000—the rentals from the crown lands in Hawaii. The court of claims has just decided that these lands belonged to the government of Hawaii, and that the queen had no personal claim upon them.

## TERSE TELEGRAMS

The British cruiser Scylla has sailed from Kingston, Jamaica, for Bluefields, Nicaragua, to protect British interests.

President Taft has nominated J. M. Sharp to be United States district attorney for the eastern district of Kentucky.

Several colored convicts were more or less seriously injured in the riot which occurred in the shoe factory of the Virginia penitentiary.

Lizzie Lehman, aged twenty-nine, and Evelyn Lehman, aged three, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the home of Dr. C. G. Lehman at Palmyra, Mich.

The treasury department is going to wash the dirt and microbes from \$1 silver certificates so that they can be restored to circulation and not be destroyed, as at present.

The Harriman gift and the Palisades park extension series of bills have passed the New York senate. They have already passed the assembly and now go to Governor Hughes for his approval.

A. E. Stillwell, president of the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient railroad, has succeeded in raising \$4,000,000 from English capitalists to put into the construction of that road in the United States and Mexico.

Representatives from eight clubs affiliated with the Aero Club of America met at New York and formed the American Aeronautic association to conduct events independent of the agreement of the Wright company with the Aero Club of America.

Commander Julius A. Pratt Post No.  
113 Dept. Ill. G. A. R.

Mr. Isaac Cook, Commander of above Post, Kewanee, Ill., writes: "For a long time I was bothered with backache and pains across my kidneys. About two months ago I started taking Foley Kidney Pills and soon saw they were doing just as claimed. I kept on taking them and now I am free from backache, and the painful bladder misery is all gone. I like Foley Kidney Pills so well that I told many of my friends and comrades about them and shall recommend them at every opportunity. Sold by all druggists."

## ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

## Gents

Earl Barnes.  
Andy Jones.  
Mr. Ed Marrens.  
Mr. Harold Pittman.  
Mr. Harold Pittman.  
Carl Williams.

## Ladies

Mrs. Author L. Dave.  
Miss Jolie Deaver.  
Mrs. Ella Colliers.  
Miss Florence Foreman.  
Mrs. Ophelia Frasier.  
Mrs. Maud Spall.  
Miss Bessie Weasner.

May 23, 1910.

EDWARD A REMY, P. M.

## Biliousness and Constipation.

For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally.—MRS. ROSA POTTS, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by all dealers.

## New Track.

The Indianapolis, Columbus & Southern Traction Company is laying new track from Southport north to Indianapolis. This was the first track built out of Indianapolis for an interurban line and at that time it was thought the traffic would not be heavy, so second hand rails were used. These rails are now becoming worn and will be replaced by new iron.

## MILD LIQUID CURES ECZEMA.

## Skin Sufferers! Drop Greasy Salves and Nasty Medicines.

That mild, soothing liquid, D. D. D. Prescription, stops the awful itch with the first drops. A prescription of acknowledged value.

Get a trial bottle at 25c. It will take away the itch right away and you can sleep soundly. We assure you personally of the merits of this remedy; for we KNOW. Andrews-Schwenk Drug Company.

## Case Settled.

The case of James Blair against the B. & O. S-W. railroad which was tried in the Lawrence circuit court resulted in a finding for the defendant after the jury had been out less than thirty minutes. The plaintiff alleged that he was injured while running a wheelbarrow across a trestle. The case was settled some months ago for \$85 which was not satisfactory to the defendant, who asked for \$9,915.

"Imitation is the sincerest flattery." Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has many imitators, but there is nothing "just as good," as thousands of men and women have learned within the past thirty years. Never sold in bulk or by the pound. Be sure you get the genuine.

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## Sixth Grade Chorus.

The music for the Memorial Day exercises will be furnished by the sixth grade chorus, under direction of Prof. H. C. Gast, musical director of the public schools. This chorus has given several selections upon various public occasions, and will please the large audience Decoration Day.

John D. Rockefeller would go broke if he should spend his entire income trying to prepare better medicine than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, for diarrhoea, dysentery or bowel complaints. It is simply impossible, and so says every one that has used it. Sold by all dealers.

Mrs. Anna Heuser, who recently sold the Arlington Hotel here, and her daughter, Miss Frieda Heuser, left for Cincinnati Monday where they expect to make their future home.

The splendid work of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is daily coming to light. No such grand remedy for liver and bowel troubles was ever known before. Thousands bless them for curing constipation, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and indigestion. Sold by all dealers.

## J. FRED FRANCE

Named by Indiana Democrats  
For Clerk of Supreme Court.GOVERNMENT GOING  
AFTER LUMBER TRUSTCombination to Control Prices  
Is Alleged.

Washington, May 24.—The department of justice is going after the lumber trust. It has become known here that for several months agents of the department have been investigating an alleged combination among the lumber dealers with the idea of beginning prosecution for violation of the Sherman anti-trust act. Just how soon proceedings will be begun or where such action will be taken was not divulged.

It is the belief of officials here that practically every concern of consequence in the country is interested in the combination, and it is suspected that those in it fix the price of lumber and even go so far as to dictate to the several members to whom they shall sell.

The department is making the investigation on the idea that prices are artificially maintained, just as they think they are kept up by the beef trust and other alleged combinations which deal in foodstuffs.

## BRISK MAN HUNT

Pennsylvania Horsethieves Given a  
Chase by Hundreds.

Pittsburg, May 24.—An attempt to steal horses immediately west of Pittsburg resulted in a sensational man hunt. Health Officer John McDermott of Crafton, Pa., lies dying at his home from three bullet wounds inflicted by the horsethieves. Steve Migawf is under arrest on suspicion of being one of the murderous thieves, while 300 persons are camped around the mouth of a coal mine into which Charles Elliott, ex-convict and wounded horsethief, has been driven. Elliott is yet heavily armed and at intervals was heard to shout defiance to his pursuers. Elliott, after being forced to abandon his stolen horses, tried to escape on a locomotive which was fired up on a switch, but as he was climbing into the cab he was shot by one of the pursuers and dropped to the ground. Elliott was probably shot three times before gaining the coal mine.

Deadly Termination of Quarrel.  
\* Danville, Ill., May 24.—Joseph Smith was shot and killed in Westville last night by John Walsh, secretary of the local miners' union. Walsh recently disarmed an Italian who had threatened to shoot John H. Walker, president of the United Mine Workers of Illinois. Last night's tragedy resulted from a quarrel growing out of that incident. Walsh surrendered to the police.

## MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices For Grain  
and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.  
Wheat—Wagon, \$1.05; No. 2 red, \$1.04. Corn—No. 2, 60c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 41c. Hay—Baled, \$14.50 @ 16.50; timothy, \$15.00 @ 16.50; mixed, \$12.50 @ 14.50. Cattle—\$4.00 @ 8.00. Hogs—\$7.50 @ 9.70. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 5.50. Lambs—\$6.00 @ 7.75. Receipts—3,000 hogs; 650 cattle; 150 sheep.

At Cincinnati.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.16. Corn—No. 2, 61c. Oats—No. 2, 42c. Cattle—\$3.50 @ 7.50. Hogs—\$7.50 @ 9.55. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 6.50. Lambs—\$6.00 @ 7.85.

At Chicago.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.11. Corn—No. 2, 60½c. Oats—No. 2, 42½c. Cattle—\$3.50 @ 7.50. Hogs—\$7.50 @ 9.55. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 6.50. Lambs—\$6.00 @ 7.85.

At St. Louis.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.15½. Corn—No. 2, 60½c. Oats—No. 2, 39c. Cattle—\$3.50 @ 7.50. Hogs—\$7.50 @ 9.55. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 6.50. Lambs—\$6.00 @ 7.85.

At East Buffalo.  
Cattle—\$4.25 @ 8.60. Hogs—\$6.00 @ 10.20. Sheep—\$4.00 @ 7.50. Lambs—\$8.00 @ 8.90.

Wheat at Toledo.  
Sept., \$1.04½; July, \$1.01; cash, \$1.11.

## Bakes—Roasts—Broils—Toasts



BAKES bread, pie and cake—bakes them perfectly all through, and browns them appetizingly.

ROASTS beef, poultry and game with a steady heat, which preserves the rich natural flavor.

BROILS steaks and chops—makes them tender and inviting.

TOASTS bread, muffins, crackers and cheese.

No drudgery of coal and ashes; no stooping to get at the oven; no smoke, no dust, no odor—just good cooking with greater fuel economy. Irons and water in wash-boiler always hot. The

New Perfection  
WICK BLUE FLAME  
Oil Cook-stove

has a Cabinet Top with shelf for keeping plates and food hot. Drop shelves for the coffee pot or saucepans, and nicked towel racks.

It has long turquoise-blue enamel chimneys. The nickel finish, with the bright blue of the chimneys, makes the stove very attractive and invites cleanliness. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners; the 2 and 3-burner stoves can be had with or without Cabinet.

CAUTIONARY NOTE: Be sure you get this stove—see that the name-plate reads "NEW PERFECTION." Every dealer everywhere; if not at yours, write for Descriptive Circular to the nearest agency of the

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Buhner's Animal Fertilizer is a natural plant food and does not burn your crops. It will build humus in your soil. Humus will hold moisture. Acid fertilizer will sour your land and drive the humus out of the soil and burn your crops.

## FEED OF ALL KINDS.

Full line of feed and meal, Graham flour, buckwheat flour, rye flour. Will exchange wheat and corn for flour or meal. Deliver to all parts of city. G. H. Anderson.

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## Black Cross Chivalry

Two knights for a lady's hand once sought,  
While one was rich the other had naught,  
The lady herself put them both to the test,  
By asking what drink in the land was best,  
To the one choosing only the BLACK CROSS BRAND,  
She gave her true promise and also her hand.

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There never was a divorce between a woman and a GAS RANGE. There never will be. Don't let the heat regulate you. You regulate the heat when you

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